No. L. 9485—Ml. 150-51-5, dated Bangalore, 3rd December 1951.

In exercise of the powers conferred by Sections 13 and 208 (2) (b) of the Mysore Town Municipalities Act, 1951 (Mysore Act XXII of 1951), His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in the Mysore Town Municipalities Election Rules, 1951, published under Notification No. L. 6715—Ml. 150-51-1, dated the 25th September 1951, namely :—

In the said Rules :—

1. In Rule 9, for the words "of his own motion", the words "on his own motion" shall be substituted.

2. In sub-rule (1) of Rule 17, for the words "deliver personally", the words "deliver the notice of candidature personally" shall be substituted.

3. For clause (*b*) of Rule 34, the following clause shall be substituted, namely :—

"(*b*) the candidate and, where a division has more than one booth at each booth, one agent of each candidate appointed in writing by the candidate and approved by the Returning Officer;"

4. For Rule 38, the following rule shall be substituted, namely :—

"38. Each polling station or booth, as the case may be, shall contain a separate compartment in which electors can record their votes, screened from observation. As far as possible, separate compartments and separate entrances and exits shall be provided for women electors."

5. In Rule 39, for the words "with he necessary outer covers", the words "with the necessary outer covers" shall be substituted.

6. In Rule 40, for the words "lock the ballot boxes and place a seal upon them," the words "secure and seal the ballot boxes," shall be substituted.

7. In sub-rule (2) of Rule 46, for the full stop occurring at the end of the sub-rule, a comma shall be substituted, and the words "but without indicating the manner in which the votes were cast," shall be added.

8. For clause (i) of Rule 51, the following clauses shall be substituted :—

"(i) each ballot box in use at such station unopened and closed in such a manner as to prevent insertion of any more ballot papers but with the key, if

any,—(which should also be sealed in the same manner as the ballot box) attached;"

9. In sub-rule (1) of Rule 60, for the words "has been duly elected," the words "duly elected" shall be substituted.

10. In Rule 68, for the words "shall be opened to inspection" the words "shall be open to inspection" shall be substituted.

11. In Rule 72, for the words "by the Municipal Council the necessary funds" the words "by the Municipal Council with the necessary funds," shall be substituted.

12. For Forms IV and IV A annexed to the said Rules, the following forms shall be substituted, namely :—

FORM IV (BALLOT PAPER).

(Rule 43).

Town Municipal Council of .....

Serial No. .....

Name and number of Division .....

FORM IV A (COUNTERFOIL).

(Rule 43)

Town Municipal Council of .....

Serial No. .....

Name and number of Division .....

Name or number of polling station .....

Number of elector on the electoral roll .....

Signature or thumb impression of the elector .....

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By Order of His Highness the Maharaja,

K. BALASUBRAMANYAM,
Secretary to Government,
Local Self-Government Department.

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